

## Treasury Department,

Bureau of the Mint,

Washington, D. C. September 17, 1894.

Eugene Townsend Esq.,

Superintendent U. S. Mint,

Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

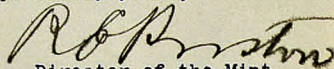
Sir:

It appears that in the shipment of the Isabella Quarters to you from Chicago, eight pieces, which it was intended should be delivered to Mrs. Potter palmer, were embraced. These are the 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th and 5th and the ~~4~~100th, 1492nd and 1892nd, which I understand were accompanied by the certificate of the late Superintendent of the Mint, O. C. Bosbyshell, and by which they can be identified.

I have to request that in case these coins have not been melted, that you will select out of the lot, the 1st, ~~4~~100th, 1492nd and 1892nd, and forward the same, per registered mail, to Professor Kunz, care of Tiffany & Co., Union Square, New York, and the 2nd, 3rd, 4th and 5th, to Mrs. Bertha Honore Palmer, Chicago, Illinois.

The certificate of your predecessor should be forwarded with these coins. Enclosed herewith find check for two dollars (\$2.00) in payment of the same.

Respectfully yours,

  
Director of the Mint.

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P. E. Preston.

*Director of the Mint.*

**SUBJECT:**

Relative to the Shipment  
of Isabella Quarters to  
Gen. from Chicago, eight  
dozen, intended for  
Mrs.oller Palmer.

No. of Inclosures, .....

Received September 18. '94

[Abstract:] Relative to the shipment of Isabella Quarters...

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